

## User Manual

### **SR250A/SR500A/SR750A**

**AC/DC POWER SUPPLY & FLOAT CHARGER**  
*(for lead acid batteries)*



**Model Codes:**

- SR250A/SR500A/SR750A
- SR250D/SR500D/SR750D
- SR250L/SR500L/SR750L
- SR250P
- SR250M

- = Standard
- = Standard with alarms
- = 'D' version with extra output alarm (LV versions only for SR500L and S750L)
- = 'D' version with built-in output diode (24V & above)
- = for use with OVP input protection units

## **Safety**

The user is responsible for ensuring that input and output wiring segregation complies with local standards and that in the use of the equipment, access is confined to operators and service personnel. A low resistance earth connection is essential to ensure safety and additionally, satisfactory EMI suppression (see below).

**HAZARDOUS VOLTAGES EXIST WITHIN A POWER SUPPLY ENCLOSURE AND ANY REPAIRS MUST BE CARRIED OUT BY A QUALIFIED SERVICEPERSON.**

## **Electrical Strength Tests**

Components within the power supply responsible for providing the safety barrier between input and output are constructed to provide electrical isolation as required by the relevant standard. However EMI filtering components could be damaged as result of excessively long high voltage tests between input, output and ground. Please contact our technicians for advice regarding electric strength tests.

## **Earth Leakage**

Where fitted, EMI suppression circuits cause earth leakage currents which may be to a maximum of 3.5mA.

## **Ventilation**

High operating temperature is a major cause of power supply failures, for example, a 10°C rise in the operating temperature of a component will halve its expected life. Therefore always ensure that there is adequate ventilation for the equipment. Batteries in particular suffer shortened lifetimes if subjected to high ambient temperatures.

## **Water / Dust**

Every effort must be made in the installation to minimise the risk of ingress of water or dust. Water will almost always cause instant failure. The effects of dust are slower in causing failure of electronic equipment but all electrical equipment should be cleaned free of any dust accumulation at regular intervals.

## **Electromagnetic Interference (EMI)**

Switching power supplies and converters inherently generate electrical noise. All wiring should be as short as practicable and segregated from all equipment wiring which is sensitive to EMI. Residual noise can be reduced by looping DC wiring through ferrite cores (sleeves). These are most effective as close to the power supply as possible and as many turns of the wire taken through the core (+ and - in the same direction) as the core will accommodate.

## **External fuse protection**

Fuses or circuit breakers must be used in all battery circuits to protect against short circuits. External fuses should be used for power supplies/ chargers even though they are usually internally protected.

## **Connection polarity**

It is critical to check the polarity carefully when connecting DC devices. Some Innovative Energies models have non-destructive reverse polarity protection but usually a reverse polarity connection will result in a blown fuse or serious damage to the device.

## **Glossary of terms used in our user manuals**

**PSU** = power supply unit

**BCT** = battery condition test

**ECB** = electronic circuit breaker

**ELVD** = electronic low voltage disconnect

**RPP** = reverse polarity protection

**EMI** = electromagnetic interference

**SNMP** = Simple Network Management Protocol

**LAN** = local area network

**DOD** = depth of discharge

### CONNECTION FOR PARALLEL REDUNDANCY

Two or more **SRxxxA**, **SRxxxD** or **SRxxxL** power supplies may be connected in parallel for increased power or parallel redundancy. Figure 1 below shows two **SR xxx D** units connected with external diodes. It is essential that the wiring from each unit to the load is kept identical for equal power sharing particularly when diodes are not used.

Diodes can be fitted inside some power supplies (see models listed below). The **SRxxxP** series identifies when an internal diode is fitted in the power supply. Figure 2 shows two **SRxxxP** units connected in parallel.

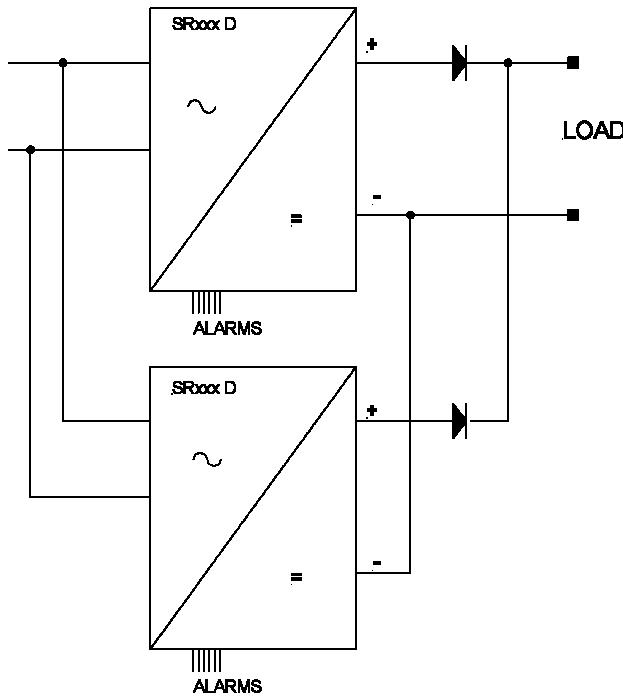


Fig. 1: Two SRxxx D with external diodes

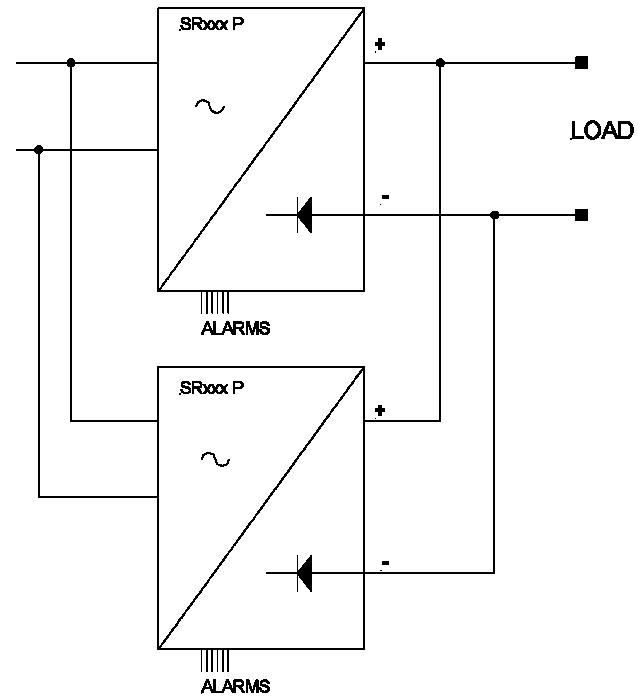


Fig. 2: Two SRxxx P connected in parallel

**INTERNAL** diodes (in negative leg) can be fitted to the following models only:

**100W:** SR100P24, SR100P36, SR100P48

**250W:** SR250P24, SR250P30, SR250P36, SR250P48, SR250P60

All other models have diodes external to the power supply, eg fitted into a 2U rack as shown in the photo to the right.



2U rack with 2 x SR250D12 power supplies and decoupling diodes on heatsink plus V/I meter

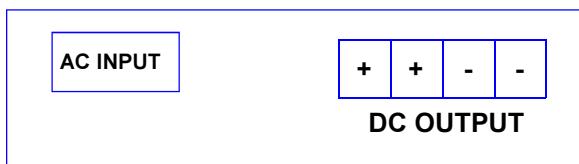
## 1. INTRODUCTION

The **SR250A-750A** range is designed for use as a very accurate AC to DC power supply, or float charger for lead acid batteries. Note that for float charging the output voltage must be set to approximately 15% above the nominal battery voltage. This is done as the default voltage for the 12V model but must be specified at time of order for all higher voltage models.

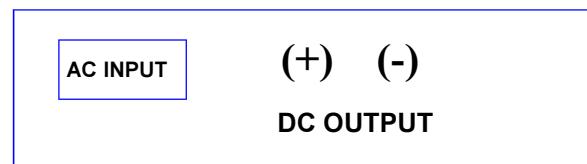
## 2. CONNECTIONS

If used as a float charger always connect the positive output of the power supply to the positive terminal of the battery. The charger may be permanently connected to float charge lead acid batteries but it is essential to periodically check the electrolyte level of flooded cells as there is always some evaporation. Where screw/plug in terminals are fitted (eg. SR500A24FXL), and there are two terminals provided for each polarity, both terminals must be used. This is to ensure that the current rating of the terminal block is not exceeded.

### CONNECTION LAYOUT



Screw Conn. Output



Stud Conn. Output

## 3. LED INDICATION CODES

### 3.1 -A Standard version

\*1 **POWER OK** LED indicates DC present on output terminals (either from PSU or battery, if connected)

MODE	LED INDICATION	
	POWER OK <sup>*1</sup>	STANDBY
DC PRESENT	ON	OFF
DC ABSENT	OFF	OFF
STANDBY	As above	ON

### 3.2 -D Alarm version

MODE	LED INDICATION		
	DC OK <sup>*2</sup>	POWER OK <sup>*3</sup>	STANDBY
NORMAL	ON	ON	OFF
DC LOW <sup>*4</sup>	OFF	ON	OFF
STANDBY	As above	OFF	ON

\*2 DC OK LED indicates DC output is present, either from PSU or battery (if connected)

\*3 POWER OK LED indicates PSU/charger working normally

\*4 DC LOW settings as in para. 3.3

### 3.3. -L Alarm version (with DC high alarm)

**DC OK LED:** Slow flash: **DC LOW Settings:** PSU: 0.83 x Vnom.      **Charger:** 1.83V/cell  
 Fast flash: **DC HIGH Settings:** PSU: 1.2 x Vnom      **Charger:** 2.5V/cell

### 4. ALARM TERMINAL LAYOUT (for -D & -L versions):

DC HIGH * <sup>5</sup>			MAINS FAIL * <sup>6</sup>			DC OK			FG
COM	NC	NO	COM	NC	NO	COM	NC	NO	

Relay contacts shown in **de-energised** state (ie when there is a fault condition).  
 Alarm relays are **energised** when power supply is operating normally.

- \*<sup>5</sup> No DC HIGH alarm relay fitted on >48VDC versions, eg. **SR500L92, SR750L92**  
**DC OK** alarm indicates either DC low or DC high, LED flash code indicates which one (see 3.3 above)
- \*<sup>6</sup> Also indicates internal PSU/charger fail or in standby mode

### 5. INPUT CONNECTIONS FOR DC INPUT MODELS

BROWN :	POSITIVE +
BLUE:	NEGATIVE -
GREEN/YELLOW:	EARTH

### 6. FG (Frame Ground)

Where provided, this terminal provides a connection to the metal case for an earthing point.

### 7. STANDBY FUNCTION

Pushing the **STANDBY** button turns the output of the power supply off. If there is a battery connected, the **DC OK** LED remains on even though the power supply is turned off (except for -P versions with output diode)



*Ideal as a Standby Float Charger  
for lead acid batteries*

- Industrial quality AC/DC power supply
- Standalone - bench top or fixed mounting
- Front panel controls & indication
- Suitable for float charging of lead acid batteries
- Optional serial communications port, SR250L
- Optional relay alarm outputs - model SR250D,P
- Conservative design for long life
- Optional DC input
- Precise voltage and current control
- Efficient switch mode design
- Suitable for parallel operation
- Optional temperature compensation for charging
- ISO9001 design management system

◆ 24 Month Warranty

**SPECIFICATIONS** All specifications are typical at nominal input, full load and at 20°C unless otherwise stated.

ELECTRICAL		PHYSICAL		
<b>Input - standard</b>	180-264 or 88-132V, 45-65Hz (internal link select)	AC Input connector IEC320 socket		
▪ option	110VDC (99 -150) or 220VDC(180-270) (specify at time of order if DC input required)	DC Connections M6 brass stud or plug-in socket with screw terminals		
<b>Fusing</b>	Internal input fuse	Enclosure Zinc plated steel /powder coated lid		
<b>Overcurrent Protection</b>	Constant current limit under overload and short circuit conditions	Dimensions 150W x 61H x 242D (excl. terminals)		
<b>OVP</b>	Over-voltage protection on output at ~ 130% of nominal output voltage	Weight 1.7 Kg		
<b>Thermal Protection</b>	Yes, self resetting	Indication LEDs Standard: Power OK, Standby With alarms: DC OK, Power OK, Standby		
<b>Isolation</b>	1KV DC input - output / earth	Alarm relay output (option) C - NO - NC changeover rated 1A /50V DC, 32VAC		
<b>Efficiency</b>	≥ 85%	Standby Mode Turns off DC output of PSU		
<b>Inrush current</b>	Soft start circuit			
<b>Output Power</b>	250W			
<b>Output Voltages</b>	Refer to model table			
<b>Voltage adj. range</b>	85 - 115% of Vout			
<b>Line Regulation</b>	<0.2% over AC input range			
<b>Load Regulation</b>	<0.4% open circuit to 100% load			
<b>Noise</b>	<1%			
<b>Drift</b>	0.03% / °C			
<b>Hold-up time</b>	15 - 20 ms without battery			
ENVIRONMENTAL				
<b>Operating temperature</b>	0 - 50 °C ambient at full load De-rate linearly >50 °C to no load @ 70 °C			
<b>Storage temperature</b>	-10 to 85 °C ambient			
<b>Humidity</b>	0 - 95% relative humidity non-condensing			
<b>Cooling</b>	24V & above: natural convection 12V: fan cooled			
STANDARDS				
<b>EMI</b>	To CISPR 22 / EN55022 class A			
<b>Safety</b>	To IEC950 / EN60950 / AS/NZS3260			
ACCESSORIES SUPPLIED				
Mounting feet together with screws AC power cord 1.5m with IEC320 socket and NZ/Aust plug Mating screw-terminal plug for alarm outputs Crimp lugs for stud terminal versions DC screw terminal plug-in connector for 'X' version				

# 250 Watt AC/DC Stand Alone Power Supply/Float Charger

**SR250A**

incl. SR250D, SR250L, SR250P

## STANDARD MODEL TABLE

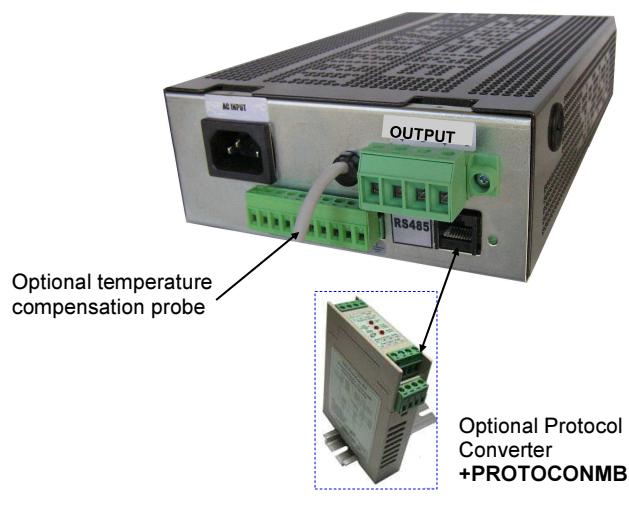
MODELS	Power Supply		Battery Charger		Adjustable range (V)
	Output Volts (factory default)	Output Current (A) (continuous)	Output Volts* (Charging)	Output Current (A) (Charging)	
<b>SR250A7.5</b>	7.5	20	6.9	20	6.8-8
<b>SR250A12</b>	13.8	18.1 @13.8V	13.8	18.1	11-14
<b>SR250A24</b>	24	10.4	27.6	9.0	22-28
<b>SR250A30</b>	30	8.3	34.5	7.2	28-36
<b>SR250A36</b>	36	6.9	41.4	6.0	34-43
<b>SR250A48</b>	48	5.2	55.2	4.5	45-57
<b>SR250A60</b>	60	4.1	69.0	3.6	54-66

\* Please specify on ordering if the unit is to be used for float charging (except for 12V model which is set at 13.8V by default).

## OPTIONS

Temperature Compensation for charging	Temperature sensor on 1.7m lead with adhesive pad: -4mV / °C / cell ±10% Order Code: +TEMPCO
Alarms (SR250D..)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mains/PSU fail (or PSU in standby mode)</li> <li>DC low (Battery low or PSU low) - set at 92% of nominal voltage. Special version available: Battery low alarm operates when mains power is on, order code: SFMCT-OA v1.1</li> </ul>
Extra DC Fault Alarm (SR250L..)	Alarm level to be specified at time of order, eg. DC high
Alarm Relay Contacts	C - NO - NC full changeover rated 1A /50V DC, 32VAC
Internal output diode (SR250P..)	Incl. alarms & output diode for N+1 redundancy, <i>internal</i> diode not available for 12V models.
Earth Fault Alarm (external)	Detects leakage to earth of DC output and provides relay output Order Code: +ALARM/EFDM (20-60V)
If external surge suppressor fitted	Replace <i>end</i> suffix -L with -M (230VAC input version) internal MOV is rated at higher

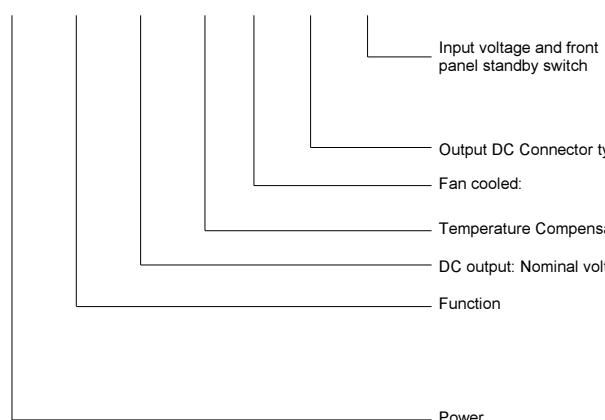
## OPTIONAL COMMUNICATION PORT - SR250L....



- Includes three relay alarm outputs
- Serial (RS232 or RS485) or ethernet port
- SNMP protocol or ASCII code
- Optional MODBUS protocol converter for use with RS485
- Example of code: **SR250L12FSL-LAN+** (for SNMP model)

## MODEL IDENTIFICATION CODES

**SR250A12 T F S L-485**



Optional communication port for SR250L versions

485 = RS485  
LAN + = Ethernet (SNMP)

232 = RS232  
LAN = Ethernet (ASCII)

L = 230V AC + switch  
U = 110V AC + switch  
H = 110V DC + switch  
M = 230V AC + switch + 300V MOV (to be used with IEOVPHVAC)  
K = motorhome version (please refer to separate data sheet)

Blank = 230V AC no switch

G = 110V AC no switch

J = 110V DC no switch

X = Plug in /screw terminal block

K = motorhome version (please refer to separate data sheet)

Blank = No fan

F = Fan

Blank = No fan

T = Yes

Blank = No

12, 24, 30, 36, 48, 60

Blank = No

A = Standard PSU

D = Standard with alarms

L = D version with extra DC fault alarm and *optional* comms port

P = D with output diode for parallel redundancy (>24V only)

250W



Optional internal V/I  
meter shown

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ELECTRICAL		PHYSICAL
Input • standard • option	180V - 264V, 45-65Hz 88V - 132VAC 45-65Hz	AC input connector IEC320 inlet socket
Fusing	Internal input fuse	DC connections M8 brass stud or plug in/screw terminal block
Overload protection	Constant current limit under overload and short circuit conditions (except DC input versions which have primary current limit)	Alarm connections Plug-in screw terminal block
Isolation	1KV DC input - output / earth	Enclosure Powder coated steel
Over voltage protection	130% of nominal output voltage	Dimensions 225W x 70H x 304D mm (excl. terminals)
Efficiency	≥ 85%	Weight 4.3 Kg
Inrush current	Soft start circuit	Indication LEDs Standard: Power OK, Standby With alarms: DC OK, Power OK, Standby
Output power	500W	Standby switch Turns off DC output of PSU
Output voltage	Refer to model table	
Line regulation	<0.2% over AC input range	
Load regulation	<0.4% open circuit to 100% load	
Noise	<1%	
Drift	0.03% / °C	
Hold-up time	15 - 20 ms without battery	
Thermal protection	Yes, self resetting	
Parallel operation - higher power - N+1 redundancy	Yes Addition of external output diodes optional Use SR500D... with external output diodes	
ENVIRONMENTAL		
Operating temperature	0 to + 50 °C ambient at full load De-rate linearly >50 °C to no load @ 70 °C	
Storage temperature	-10 to 85 °C ambient	
Humidity	0 - 95% relative humidity non-condensing	
Cooling	Fan cooled	
STANDARDS		
EMI	To CISPR 22 / EN55022 class A	
Safety	To IEC950 / EN60950 / AS/NZS3260	
ACCESSORIES SUPPLIED		
Mounting feet together with screws AC power cord 1.5m with IEC320 socket and NZ/Aust plug Mating screw-terminal plug for alarm outputs Crimp lugs for stud terminal versions DC screw terminal plug-in connector for 'X' version		

# 500 Watt AC/DC Stand Alone Power Supply/Float Charger

**SR500A**

incl. SR500D, SR500L

## STANDARD MODEL TABLE

MODELS	Power Supply		Battery Charger		Adjustable range (V)
	Output Volts (factory default)	Output Current (A)	Output Volts* (Charging)	Output Current (A) (Charging)	
<b>SR500A12</b>	13.8	36.2 (41.6 @ 12V)	13.8	36.2	11-14
<b>SR500A24</b>	24	20.8	27.6	18.2	22- 29
<b>SR500A30</b>	30	16.6	34.5	14.5	28-36
<b>SR500A36</b>	36	13.8	41.4	12.0	34-43
<b>SR500A48</b>	48	10.4	55.2	9.1	45-57
<b>SR500A60</b>	60	8.3	69.0	7.2	56-71
<b>SR500A91</b>	96	5.2	110	4.5	90-115
<b>SR500A92</b>	108	4.6	124	4.0	111-130
<b>SR500A93</b>	120	4.1	138	3.6	110-145

\* Please specify on ordering that unit is to be used for float charging (except for 12V model which is set at 13.8V by default).



Rear view of SR500D... or SR500L... with alarm contacts and no communication port option

## OPTIONS

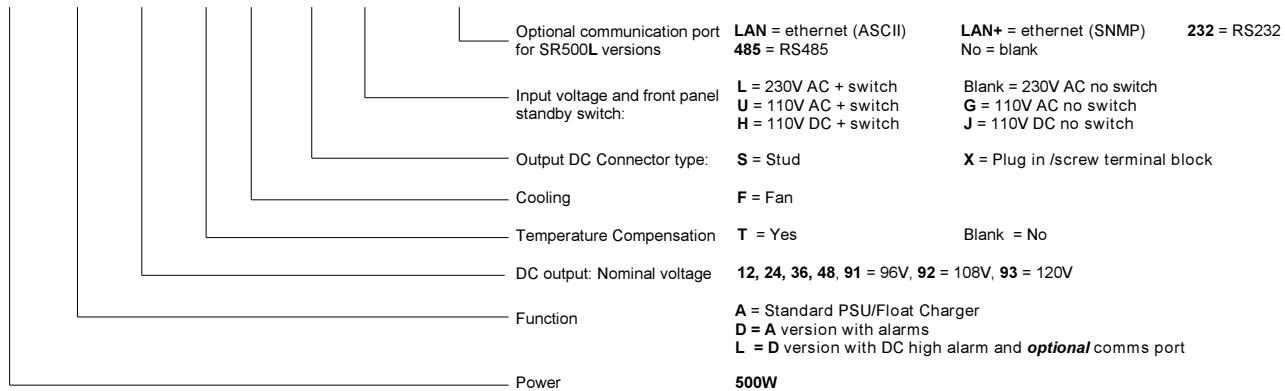
Temperature compensation for charging	Temperature sensor on 1.7m lead with adhesive pad: -4mV / °C / cell ±10% Order Code: <b>+TEMPCO</b>
Alarms - SR500D.. - SR500L..	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Mains fail</b> (or PSU in standby mode)</li> <li><b>DC low</b> (Battery low or PSU low)           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Charger: set at 1.83V/cell</li> <li>PSU: set at 83% V out</li> </ul> </li> <li>As SR500D.. + DC high alarm (<b>NB</b>: DC OK alarm on this model indicates either DC low or DC high)</li> </ul>
Alarm contacts	C - NO - NC changeover rated 1A /50V DC, 32VAC
DC Input	110VDC (99-150) or 220VDC (180-270) Please note that an external fuse or MCB must be fitted on the output for short circuit protection.
Earth fault alarm (external to PSU))	Detects leakage to earth of DC output and provides relay output Code: <b>+ALARM/EFDM (20-60V)</b> <b>+ALARM/EFDH (61-150V)</b>

## OPTIONS

Communications Port	Choice of RS485, RS232, ethernet (SNMP or ASCII) Available on <b>SR500L...</b> models
Internal V/I meter	Add code: <b>+INT-METER</b>
<b>Mounting options:</b>	
19" rack mount	2U sub rack available, <b>Code: SR-RM2U</b> Optional V/I meter, <b>Code: SR-METER</b>
Wall mount enclosure	PSU may be fitted into enclosure with MCBs and terminals. <b>Code: SEC-SR</b>

## MODEL IDENTIFICATION CODES

### SR500A 12 T F S L-LAN





Optional internal V/I  
meter shown

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◆ 24 Month Warranty

#### **SPECIFICATIONS** All specifications are typical at nominal input, full load and at 20°C unless otherwise stated.

<b>ELECTRICAL</b>		<b>PHYSICAL</b>
Input • standard • option	230VAC (180 - 264), 45-65Hz 110VAC (88 -132), 45-65Hz	AC input connector IEC320 inlet socket
Fusing	Internal input fuse	DC connections M8 brass stud or plug in/screw terminal block
Overload protection	Constant current limit under overload and short circuit conditions (except DC input versions which have primary current limit)	Alarm connections Plug-in screw terminal block
Isolation	1KV DC input - output / earth	Enclosure Powder coated steel
Over voltage protection	130% of nominal output voltage	Dimensions 225W x 70H x 304D mm (excl. terminals)
Efficiency	≥ 85%	Weight 4.3 Kg
Inrush current	Soft start circuit	Indication LEDs Standard: Power OK, Standby With alarms: DC OK, Power OK, Standby
Output power	750W	Standby switch Turns off DC output of PSU
Output voltage	Refer to model table	
Line regulation	<0.2% over AC input range	
Load regulation	<0.4% open circuit to 100% load	
Noise	<1%	
Drift	0.03% / °C	
Hold-up time	15 - 20 ms without battery	
Thermal protection	Yes, self resetting	
Parallel operation - higher power - N+1 redundancy	Yes Addition of external output diodes optional Use SR750D... with external output diodes	
<b>ENVIRONMENTAL</b>		
Operating temperature	0 to + 50 °C ambient at full load De-rate linearly >50 °C to no load @ 70 °C	
Storage temperature	-10 to 85 °C ambient	
Humidity	0 - 95% relative humidity non-condensing	
Cooling	Fan cooled	
<b>STANDARDS</b>		
EMI	To CISPR 22 / EN55022 class A	
Safety	To IEC950 / EN60950 / AS/NZS3260	
<b>ACCESSORIES SUPPLIED</b>		
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# 750 Watt AC/DC Stand Alone Power Supply/Float Charger

**SR750A**

incl. SR750D, SR750L

## STANDARD MODEL TABLE

MODELS	Power Supply		Battery Charger		Adjustable range (V)
	Output Volts (factory default)	Output Current (A) (continuous)	Output Volts* (Charging)	Output Current (A) (Charging)	
<b>SR750A12</b>	13.8	54 (54 @ 11-14V)	13.8	54	11-14
<b>SR750A24</b>	24	31.2	27.6	27	22- 29
<b>SR750A30</b>	30	25	34.5	21.7	28-36
<b>SR750A36</b>	36	20.8	41.4	18	34-43
<b>SR750A48</b>	48	15.6	55.2	13.6	45-57
<b>SR750A91</b>	96	7.8	110	6.8	90-115
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Rear view of SR750D...or SR750L... with alarm contacts and no communication port option

## OPTIONS

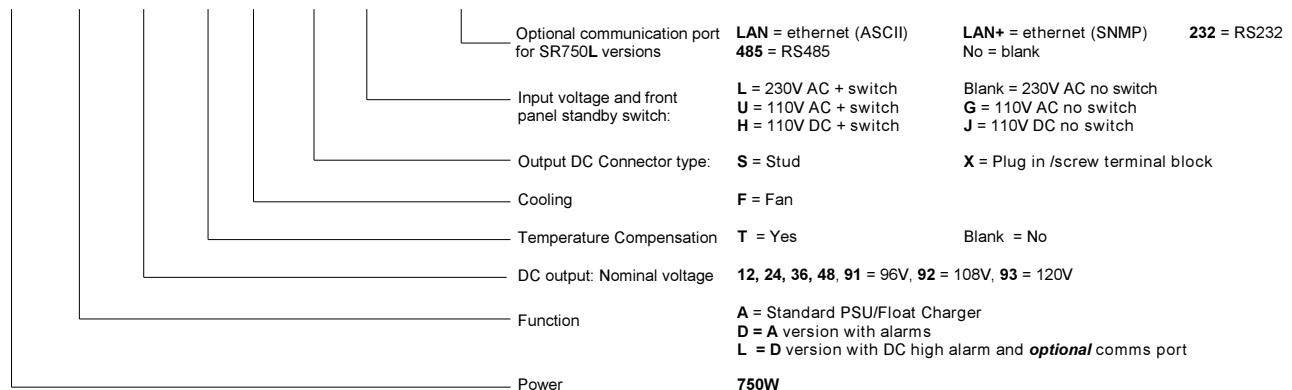
Temperature compensation for charging	Temperature sensor on 1.7m lead with adhesive pad: -4mV / °C / cell ±10% Order Code: +TEMPCO
Alarms - SR750D.. - SR750L..	• Mains fail (or PSU in standby mode)
	• DC low (Battery low or PSU low) - Charger: set at 1.83V/cell - PSU: set at 83% V out
Alarm contacts	C - NO - NC changeover rated 1A /50V DC, 32VAC
DC Input	110VDC (99-150) or 220VDC (180-270) Please note that an external fuse or MCB must be fitted on the output for short circuit protection.
Earth fault alarm (external to PSU)	Detects leakage to earth of DC output and provides relay output Code: +ALARM/EFDM (20-60V) +ALARM/EFDH (61-150V)

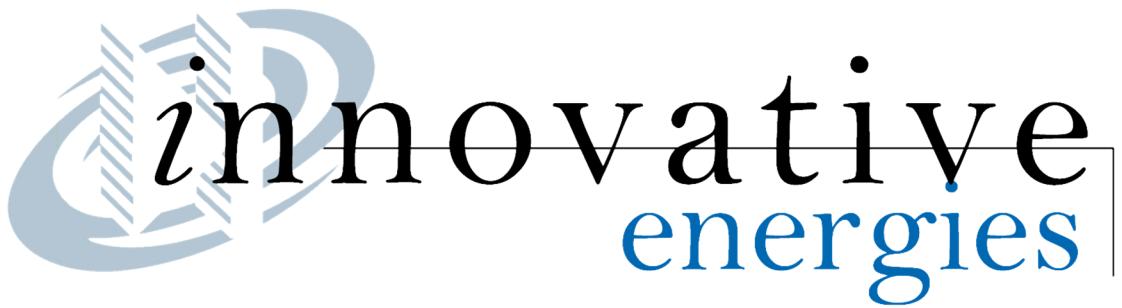
## OPTIONS (continued)

Communications port	Choice of RS485, RS232, ethernet (SNMP or ASCII) Available on SR750L... models
Internal V/I meter	Add code: +INT-METER
Mounting options:	
19" rack mount	2U sub rack available, Code: SR-RM2U Optional V/I meter, Code: SR-METER
Wall mount enclosure	PSU may be fitted into enclosure with MCBs and terminals. Code: SEC-SR

## MODEL IDENTIFICATION CODES

### SR750A 12 T F S L-LAN





#### TERMS OF WARRANTY

Innovative Energies Ltd warrants its power supplies for 24 months (two years) from date of shipment against material and workmanship defects.

Innovative Energies' liability under this warranty is limited to the replacement or repair of the defective product as long as the product has not been damaged through misapplication, negligence, or unauthorized modification or repair.

Thank you for purchasing from Innovative Energies.

We trust your power supply will exceed your expectations and perform for years to follow.

Sincerely,  
The Innovative Energies team.

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